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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takayuki YABU et al.

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For: DISCHARGE ELECTRODES CONNECTING STRUCTURE FOR

LASER APPARATUS AND LASER APPARATUS THEREWITH



Director of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The undersigned respectfully requests a refund of the \$130.00 fee for filing a non-English translation of the specification which was charged to our deposit account on January 30, 2001 in the subject application.

The applicants had already submitted the \$130.00 non-English translation fee with the December 18, 2000 filing (copy of cancelled check No. <u>45742</u> is attached). Therefore, no additional fee is necessary.

It is respectfully requested that the full amount of \$130.00 be credited to Deposit Account 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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